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How to Start a Cooperative (DVD)

This DVD was developed by USDA Cooperative Programs. It describes the development process, necessary players, and steps for starting an agricultural cooperative. While focusing on agriculture, it also has applicability to the development of other types of cooperatives as well.

It is 31:10 minutes long.

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A large, light blue silhouette of a rural landscape. It features a water tower in the center, a house to the left, and another building to the right. The foreground is a green field with a path leading towards the buildings.

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